

Keeping the Tradition Alive



Michael J. Quill Irish Cultural and Sports Centre Inc. ;
A 501c3 non-profit organization
Proudly Hosts
27th Annual East Durham Feis (9 AM Start)

Saturday, August 27, 2016

At MJQ ICSC – 2267 Route 145, East Durham, NY 12423 – mjqirishculturalcenter.com

CLOSING DATE August 17, 2016 – Any entries received between 8/18 – 8/23 will be subject to a \$10 late fee. **ALL ENTRIES THROUGH**
www.feisweb.com North American Feis Commission – President Lori Seeman – Member of An Coimisiun, Dublin, Ireland
Registered, sanctioned and governed by the rules of AN COIMSIUM (www.clrg.ie), North American Feis Commission,
(www.northamericanfeiscommission.org) and Mid-Atlantic Feis Commission (www.mis-atlanticregion.com)

2016 North American Feis Commission Championships and Music Scholarships

Gerry Campbell Senior Belt: Melanie Valdez, Doherty-Petri School Robert Gabor Junior Trophy: Saoirse DeBoy Teelin School
George Sweetnam Minor Trophy: Maggie Webber Mulvihill/ Lynch School
Senior Music Scholarship Winner Jim Brennan May 21st Montreal CA
Junior Music Scholarship Winner: Ed Callaghan Aug 6th Catskill Mtn

FULL NAFC Rules: <http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org/dancingcompetitionrules.asp>

3 Rounds for Open Championship

The East Durham Feis Committee, the Michael J. Quill Irish Centre or any other organizations affiliated with the same will not be held responsible for personal injury, property loss or damage. Submitting an entry implies agreement to this policy.

Destruction of FEIS property or rental property will be punishable by law.

Adjudicators Confirmed: John O Keefe CT, Cathy Spencer, NY, Maggie Revis, NY, Patty Lenihan, CT, Sheila Stevens, CT, Rose Kenny, MA, Breda O'Brien, MA, Michael Kenny, MA, Irene Horgan, CT, NY, Joan Cass, NY, Joanie Cass, NY

Musicians Confirmed: Billy Furlong, NY, Karen Conway, NJ, Kevin Forde NJ, Niall Mulligan, NY

Join us for some upcoming events at our
MJQ ICSC Centre in East Durham NY

East Durham Irish Festival
Friday May 28th, Saturday May 29th 2016
EastDurhamIrishFestival.com

Catskills Irish Arts Week
Sunday July 10th- Saturday July 16th 2016
CatskillsIrishArtsWeek.com

4th Annual Fall Series Oct 7th – 9th 2-16
CatskillsIrishArtsWeek.com

East Durham Feis Fees:

Family Gate Fee Required for Any/All Entries Per family:	Family Gate Fee: \$15
Family Cap (Enter Together, Gate Fee NOT included / late Fee Not included in Cap)	
Solo (grades)	\$10
Preliminary/ Open Championship	\$30
Contemporary Set	\$10
NYS Championship Dance-Off	\$ No Fee
Late Fee	\$10

Looking for An Accommodation during the Feis ?

The Blackthorne Resort – 518 634 2541 blackthorneresort.com

Shamrock House – 518 634 2897 www.ShamrockHouse.com

Gavins Irish Country Inn – 518 634 2582

For full list of accommodations visit mjqirishculturalcenter.com

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ALL COMPETITIONS UP TO AND INCLUDING U14 WILL DANCE 3 AT A TIME

PLEASE NOTE: Solo Costumes are NOT permitted in Beginner and Advanced Beginner categories. Class costumes, skirts or blouses only

Preliminary & Open Competitions with less than 5 competitors will may be combined at our discretion

Tír na nÓg: Open to
Girls and boys who have
never competed at any feis.
One step in the reel will be
performed
Under 5: Competition A
Will dance at 9am

Beginner Girls & Boys	Dancers who have not taken any lessons prior to September 2015. Reel, Jig and Slip Jig danced at 118		
	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig
Under 5	1R	1LJ	1SJ
Under 6	2R	2LJ	2SJ
Under 7	3R	3LJ	3SJ
Under 8	4R	4LJ	4SJ
Under 9	5R	5LJ	5SJ
Under 10	6R	6LJ	6SJ
Under 11	7R	7LJ	7SJ
Under 12	8R	8LJ	8SJ
12 & Over	9R	9LJ	9SJ

Advanced Beginner	Dancers who have started prior to September 2015 & have not won 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd , Reel, Light Jig and Slip Jig are danced at Speed 118. Treble Jig Speed 92 and Hornpipe Speed 138				
Girls and Boys	No solo costumes permitted – school costumes or skirt & blouse only				
	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe
Under 6	100 R	100 LJ	100 SJ	100TJ	100HP
Under 7	101 R	101 LJ	101 SJ	101TJ	101HP
Under 8	102 R	102 LJ	102 SJ	102TJ	102HP
Under 9	103 R	103 LJ	103 SJ	103TJ	103HP
Under 10	104 R	104 LJ	104 SJ	104TJ	104HP
Under 11	105 R	105 LJ	105 SJ	105TJ	105HP
Under 12	106 R	106 LJ	106 SJ	106TJ	106HP
Under 13	107 R	107 LJ	107 SJ	107TJ	107HP
13 & Over	108 R	108 LJ	108 SJ	108TJ	108HP

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Novice	Dancers who have won 1 st , second or 3 rd in Advanced Beginner, Treble Jig, may be danced at Speed 73, or 92 and Hornpipe at Speed 11 or 138					
Girls & Boys	Competitors will be combined with less than 5 dancers					
	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe	Trad Set
Under 7	200 R	200 LJ	200 SJ	200TJ	200HP	200TS
Under 8	201 R	201 LJ	201 SJ	201TJ	201HP	201TS
Under 9	202 R	202 LJ	202 SJ	202TJ	202HP	202TS
Under 10	203 R	203 LJ	203 SJ	203TJ	203HP	203TS
Under 11	204 R	204 LJ	204 SJ	204TJ	204HP	204TS
Under 12	205 R	205 LJ	205 SJ	205TJ	205HP	205TS
Under 13	206 R	206 LJ	206 SJ	206TJ	206HP	206TS
Under 14	207 R	207 LJ	207 SJ	207TJ	207HP	207TS
14 & Over	208 R	208 LJ	208 SJ	208TJ	208HP	208TS

Prizewinner	Dancers who have won 1 st place in particular Novice dance. Treble jig danced at Speed 73 or 92 & Hornpipe danced at speed 113 or 138					
Girls & Boys	Competitors will be combined if less than 5 dancers					
	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe	Trad Set
Under 8	300 R	300 LJ	300 SJ	300TJ	300HP	300TS
Under 9	301 R	301 LJ	301 SJ	301TJ	301HP	301TS
Under 10	302 R	302 LJ	302 SJ	302TJ	302HP	302TS
Under 11	303 R	303 LJ	303 SJ	303TJ	303HP	303TS
Under 12	304 R	304 LJ	304 SJ	304TJ	304HP	304TS
Under 13	305 R	305 LJ	305 SJ	305TJ	305HP	305TS
Under 14	306 R	306 LJ	306 SJ	306TJ	306HP	306TS
14 & Over	307 R	307 LJ	307 SJ	307TJ	307HP	307TS

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Preliminary Championship: Must Indicate choice of Reel or Slip Jig AND Hornpipe or Treble Jig. *Up to & including U14 will dance 3 at a time. Hard Shoe will be danced first Sashes for top 5 on podium.*
Prelim & Open Competitions with less than 5 dancers will be combined at our discretion.

Under 8	400
Under 9	401
Under 10	402
Under 11	403
Under 12	404
Under 13	405
Under 14	406
Under 15	407
Under 16	408
Under 17	409
17 & Over	410

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Open Championship : Dancers will dance 3 rounds. Reel or Slip Jig AND Hornpipe or Treble Jig AND Set Dance of Choice; Under 9 dance Set.
Competitions with less than 5 dancers will be combined except for comp#500

Sashes awarded for top 5 places on podium. Soft – Hard -Set. Medal rounds for soft & hard. Up to and including 2 at a time

Girls	
Under 9	500
Under 10	501
Under 11	502
Under 12	503
Under 13	504
Under 14	505
Under 15	506
Under 16	507
Under 17	508
Under 18	509
18 & Over	510
Boys	
Under 9	511
Under 10	512
Under 12	513
Under 14	514
Under 16	515
Under 18	516
18 & Over	517

Contemporary Set	
Preliminary Dancers Only (Under 9 dance Traditional Set)	
Under 9	700
Under 10	701
Under 12	702
Under 14	703
Under 16	704
16 & Over	705

New York State Championship Dance-Off
Competition 518: Dance off competition for the 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place winners of Competitions 507, 508, 509, 510, 515, 516, 517.
Competitors must dance a set dance in contrasting tempo to original competition.